Worldwide mobile phone sales fell in 2012: Gartner

London: Sales of mobile phones around the world fell last year for the first time since 2009 as consumers shunned cheaper feature phones, research company Gartner said on Wednesday.

"Tough economic conditions, shifting consumer preferences, and intense market competition weakened the worldwide mobile phone market," Gartner analyst Anshul Gupta said on Wednesday.

Smartphone sales, a category dominated by Samsung and Apple, continued to rise, he said, and the higher-end devices would account for more than half the market for the first time this year.

Total worldwide mobile sales to end users fell 1.7% to 1.75 billion units in 2012, Gartner said. Samsung and Apple continued to dominate the market, with the Korean company selling 385 million phones in 2012, of which 53.5% were smartphones, with Apple selling 130 million smartphones.

In the fourth quarter alone, Apple and Samsung accounted for 52% of smartphone sales, up from 46% in the third quarter.

Chinese company Huawei reached third spot in worldwide smartphone sales for the first time in the fourth quarter, Gartner said.

It sold 27.2 million smartphones to end users in 2012, up 74%. REUTERS

Startup festival in Ba

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Bangalore: The Indus Entrepreneurs (TiE) and Unstoppable India announced on Wednesday a startup festival that seeks to strengthen Bangalore's status as the startup capital of India.

The four day festival will take place in Koramangala, Jayanagar, Indiranagar and Palace Grounds, showcasing the startups in these neighbourhoods in day-long events from March 7 to March 10. The event aims to brand Bangalore as the go-to place for any startups by holding mentoring sessions and opening the offices of some of the city's most prominent startups to the general public. The event is supported by the Karnataka government and will have more than 100 partners holding about 120 sessions.

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The event also will see the launch of several startups and their products and also provide

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INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDERS (IFT) - SINGLE COVER TENDER
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The Executive Engineer, Byatarayanapura Division, BBMP, Bangalore invites tenders from eligible Contractors registered in Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike or equivlanet registration with CPWD /KPWD/Railways /MES / National Highway or any State Government Organisations for the construction of work detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of Work	Approximate Value of work (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (In Rs.)
1	Improvements to Roads and drains at Kogilu in Ward No. 05, Byatarayanapura Sub Division"(2nd call)	19.95	49875.00
2	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Prakruthi Nagar in Ward No.05, Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.95	49875.00
3	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Balaji Krupa Layout in Ward No.05, Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.95	49875.00
4	Providing RCC Drains and Covering Slab in Ward no.05 (Jakkur) Byatraryanapura Sub Division.(2nd call)	19.95	49875.00
5	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Belahalli Near Pyare's House Road in ward no.05 (Jakkur), Byatarayanapura sub-division(2nd call)	15.65	39125.00
6	Improvements to Road and Drians at Nagawara in Ward No. 06, Byataryanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.00	47500.00
7	Improvements to Road and Drians at Manjunath Nagara in Ward No. 06, Byataryanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.00	47500.00
8	Improvements to Road and Drians at Prasanth Nagara in Ward No. 06, Byataryanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	15.00	37500.00
9	Providing and Asphalting to Road at Shabarinagarr in Ward No06 Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.00	47500.00
10	Providing and Asphalting to Road at Bhuvaneshwarinagara in Ward No06 Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.00	47500.00
11	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Anjanadri Layout in Ward No. 06, Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	19.00	47500.00
12	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Maruthi Nagara in Ward No. 06, Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	18.00	45000.00
13	Improvements to Roads and Drains at Amarajoythi Layout,Church Road in Ward No. 06, Byatarayanapura Sub Division(2nd call)	18.00	45000.00
14	Improvements and Asphalting to Road at Defence Colony in Ward No.06, Byatarayanapaura Sub Division(2nd call)	18.00	45000.00
15	Improvements and Asphalting to Road at Cauvery Layout Cross Roads in Ward No.06, Byatarayanapaura Sub Division(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
16	Improvements and Asphalting to Road at Bhuvaneshwarinagara 20th Cross Roads in Ward No.06, Byatarayanapaura Sub Division(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
17	Filling of Pot Hole in Ward No.06,Byatarayanapura Sub Division.(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
18	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in		
51	Improvements to Bullet Krishnappa Layout Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
52	Improvements to Parwathamma Main Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
53	Improvements to Lake shore garden and APC Layout Main Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd ca		
54	Improvements to Thindlu Gowdara Beddi Main Road and Cross R in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
55	Improvements to Virupakshapura Main Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
56	Improvements to Virupakshapura Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
57	Improvements to Indian Express and Sonnappa Layout Main Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division. (2nd call)		
58	Improvements to Buddajothi Layout Main Road and Cross Road i Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
59	Improvements to Kodigehalli Petrol Bunk Opposite West Side Ma Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
60	Improvements to Ganeshnagara Layout Main Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
61	Improvements to Basavasamithi Main Road and Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
62	Construction of Concrete Wall to SWD down stream side of Thindlu Bridge in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd ca		
63	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Ramanna Garden 1st and 2nd Cross Roads in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
64	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Ramanna Garden 3rd Cross Roads in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
65	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Blue Filed Garden 1st and 2nd Cross Roads in Ward No.1 Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
66	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Blue Field Garden 3rd Cross Roads in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
67	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Venkatagiriyappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
68	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at Kalappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
69	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at 1st A Main Nanjappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
70	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at 2nd Stage Nanjappa Layout in Ward No. 10,		

16	Improvements and Asphalting to Road at Bhuvaneshwarinagara 20th Cross Roads in Ward No.06, Byatarayanapaura Sub Division(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
17	Filling of Pot Hole in Ward No.06,Byatarayanapura Sub Division.(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
18	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 1st Main, 1st Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
19	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 2nd Main, 1st Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
20	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 1st Cross, 1st Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
21	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 2nd Cross, 1st Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
22	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 3rd Cross, 1st Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
23	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 1st Main , 2nd Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
24	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 2nd Main , 2nd Stage in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
25	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayakalayout 1st cross & 2nd cross , 2nd Stage in ward no.7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
26	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Vinayaka layout 3rd cross & 4th cross , 2nd Stage in ward no.7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	14.80	37000.00
27	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Venkategowda layout Kempapura 1st Main in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
28	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Venkategowda layout Kempapura 1st A Main in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
29	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Venkategowda layout Kempapura 1st B Main in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
30	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads inVenkategowda layout Kempapura 2nd Main in ward no.7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
31	Improvements to Roads, Drains and Asphlting to Roads in Venkategowda layout Kempapura 3rd Main in ward no.7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	19.90	49750.00
32	Providing and Fixing Name Boards in Vinayaka and Venkategowda layout in ward no. 7, Byatarayanapura(2nd call)	1.50	4500.00
33	Construction of Cement Concrete road at Bhadrappa layout maruthinagra in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	11.00	27500.00
34	Improvement of drains and asphalting to main road & cross road at Balaji layout connecting from Kodigehalli Main road in ward no, 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	17.20	43000.00
35	Improvement of drains and asphalting to road at Amco layout to Balaji layout 6th cross in ward no.8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	22.50	45000.00
36	Improvement of drains and asphalting to road from Ganesha tempal to Muthurayaswamy tempal at Amco layout from Ch: 0 to 350 in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	14.00	35000.00
37	Improvement of drains and asphalting to road from Ganesha tempal to Muthurayaswamy tempal at Amco layout from Ch: 350.00 to 700.00 in ward no, 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	14.00	35000.00
38	Improvement of drains and asphalting to main road & cross road, 2nd main road at Balaji layout in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	8.00	24000.00
39	Improvement of drains and asphalting to cross road at amco layout 'A' Sector, Hebbal Sarovara layout in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	7.00	21000.00
40	Improvement of drains and asphalting to Road at LKR Nagara in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	15.00	37500.00
41	Improvement of drains and asphalting to 2nd cross CP layout to Kannuramma Tempal in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	9.80	29400.00
42	Improvement of drains and asphalting to 1st cross at CP layout in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	11.00	27500.00
43	Improvement of drains and Construction of Cement Concrete roads at Devinagara in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	10.90	27250.00
44	Improvement of drains & construction of cement concrete road at Kodigehalli village in ward no. 8 Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
45	Improvement of roads and Drains at Bharappa layout Maruthingara in ward no. 8 Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	12.00	30000.00
46	Improvement of roads and Drains at Balaji layout in ward no. 8 Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	12.00	30000.00
47	Improvement of roads and Drains at Kothihosahalli Maruthinagara in ward no. 8 Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
48	Construction of CC Drain at Kodigehalli AK Colony in ward no. 8, Kodigehalli sub division(2nd call)	6.50	19500.00
49	Improvements to Venkataswamappa Layout Main Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)	10.00	30000.00
50	Improvements to Venkataswamappa Layout Cross Road in Ward No. 09, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)	12.00	30000.00
69	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at 1st A Main Nanjappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
70	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at 2nd Stage Nanjappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
71	Construction of RCC Drain, Covering Slab and Improvements to Roads at 1st Main Nanjappa Layout in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
72	Engaging JCB, Tractor and labour in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
73	Desilting of drains by Engaging tractor and Labour in ward no. 10 Doddabommasandra Area, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd ca		
74	Desilting of drains by Engaging tractor and Labour in ward no 10 Ramachandrapura Area, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
75	Construction of CC Road andRCC Drains at Sriramaiah Layout in Wa No.10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd cal		
76	Construction of CC Road and RCC Drains at Sriramaiah Layout Millanium School Back sid in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasand Vidyaranyapura Sub Divisio.(2nd call)		
77	Construction of Bus Stop inRamachandrapura in Ward No.10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division. (2nd call)		
78	Construction of RCC Drain : Peta Siddappa Triruvu Doddabommasandra Main rod in Ward No. 10, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
79	Impovements to Roads andAsphalting to Raghavendra Colony Main Roads in Ward No. 11(Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
80	Impovements to Roads andsphalting to Teachers Layout Main Roads in Ward No. 11 (Kumpunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
81	Impovements to Roads andsphalting to Teachers Layout Cross Roads in Ward No. 11 (Kumpunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
82	Impovements to Roads, Coruction of Culverts and Asphalting to Vinayaka Layout Main Rds in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divisi(2nd call)		
83	Impovements to Roads andsphalting to M.S. Palya Main Roads (Via Koya Factory) in Ward. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divisi(2nd call)		
84	Improvements to CC Road m Shakil House, Makthum sab House and Hazere House Roads MS Palya in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division. (2nd call)		
85	Improvements to CC Roadd Asphalting to MS Palya Grama Tana Roads at MS Palya ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divisi (2nd call)		
86	Improvements to CC Road)nstruction of CC Drains and Covering Slabs at MS Palya Chikkabagalli Slum Area in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division. (2nd call)		
87	Improvements to Roads, Ctruction of Culvert and Asphalting to Singapura Paradise Main Rd and Cross Roads in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
88	Improvements to CC Roaconstruction of Culvert in Singapura Village near Auto Santhoshmar House Road in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
89	Improvements to Roads, Ctruction of Culvert and Asphalting to Varadarajaswamy Layond Stage near Military Compound Road in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division.(2nd call)		
90	Construction of KempegowArch, Dr. Rajakumar Statue near Singapura Busstop and Soura Burial Ground Arch in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Division. (2nd call)		
91	Consruction of Gandhi Stand Improvements to Varadarajangara Govt School Opp Circle in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divis2nd call)		
92	Construction of Kuvempu, Kuvempu Statue and Ambedkar Statue at Kuvempungara Stage in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divi2nd call)		
93	Pothole filling to Roads in Ward No. 11 (Kuvempunagara), Vidyaranyapura Sub Divi2nd call)		
94	Drilling of borewells provipump set and maintenance of BBMP drilling borewells in Ward no:11(kuvempu nagara), Vidyaranyapura sub divisi2nd call)		

Note: 1) Pre bid meeting at the Executive Engineer office, : **15.02.2013 P.**
2) Last Date for uploading Filled Tender Document is **22.02.20**
3) Date of Opening of Financial bid is on **:25.02.2013 at 4.00 p.**

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